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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re

U.S. application of:

Naohiro KAGEYAMA, Yasuhiko TAKEDA,  
Yoko SOGABE and Katsuyuki NANBA

For:

ELECTRONIC CAMERA WITH  
DYNAMIC OUTPUT CONTROL

U.S. Serial No.:

09/047,676

Confirmation No.:

3496

Filed:

March 25, 1998

Examiner:

Tuan V. Ho

Group Art Unit:

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

**PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

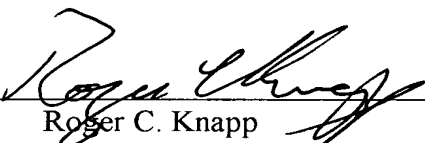
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), of Application Serial No. 09/047,676 filed on March 25, 1998, by Naohiro KAGEYAMA, Yasuhiko TAKEDA, Yoko SOGABE and Katsuyuki NANBA, entitled ELECTRONIC CAMERA WITH DYNAMIC OUTPUT CONTROL.

A Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time, extending the response period to February 22, 2003, is being filed concurrently herewith.

Please enter the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, filed concurrently herewith, wherein claims 1, 11 and 16 incorporate new amendments.

A Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization form authorizing the amount of \$1,680.00 (\$750.00 for the filing fee for a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), and the three month extension fee of \$930 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3)), to be charged to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260 is enclosed herewith in duplicate. However, if the Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization form is missing, insufficient, or otherwise inadequate, or if a fee, other than the issue fee, is required during the pendency of this application, please charge such fee to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Please credit any overpayment to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260.

Respectfully submitted,

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## RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL AND FEE AUTHORIZATION

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FILING DATE: March 25, 1998	Confirmation No: 3496	EXAMINER TUAN V. HO	GROUP ART UNIT: 2612
INVENTOR(S): NAOHIRO KAGEYAMA, YASUHIKO TAKEDA, YOKO SOGABE AND KATSUYUKI NANBA			
TITLE OF INVENTION: ELECTRONIC CAMERA WITH DYNAMIC OUTPUT CONTROL			

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ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
WASHINGTON, DC 20231TRANSMITTED HEREWITH FOR THE ABOVE IDENTIFIED  
PATENT APPLICATION IS:

- ☒ (A) A response to the Office Action dated: August 22, 2002
- ☒ (B) A Petition for Extension of Time (\$930.00)  
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☒ for 3 months;  
A Petition for Extension of Time, having been previously filed,  
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months
- ☐ (C) A request for approval of proposed drawing changes.
- ☐ (D) A response to the Advisory Action dated:
- ☐ (E) An Appellant's Brief on Appeal.
- ☒ (F) Other: Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (\$750)
- ☐ (G) A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27
- ☐ Small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been previously established
- ☐ The claims fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL		MINUS		
INDEP.		MINUS		
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

## SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$9	\$
x \$42	
+ \$140	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$ 0.00

## LARGE ENTITY

RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$18	\$
x \$84	
+ \$280	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$ 0.00

OR

- ☒ Please charge \$ 1,680 to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260, which includes  
☐ the amount of \$ for the claims fee calculated above AND/OR  
☒ the amount of \$1,680 for the fee for item(s) ☒ (B) ☐ (D) ☐ (E) ☒ (F), *supra*
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees (other than issue fee) required during the pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Please credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-1260.
- ☒ A duplicate copy of this Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization is enclosed.

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